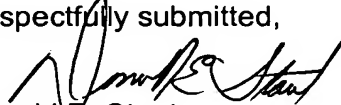


**REMARKS**

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application Applicant herein cancels original claims 1-3 and substitutes new claims 4-9. It is respectfully requested that examination be performed on the aforementioned claims 4-9.

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